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PURSUANT TO THE TERMS OF A deed of trust dated December 14, 1907, and recorded in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Va., in deed book No. 56, page 435, given by Robert A. Wallace and Ida V. Wallace, his wife, to the undersigned, to secure the debt therein mentioned, default having been made in the payment of the same, and being thereunto required by the beneficiary under said trust, the undersigned will offer for sale, for cash, at public auction on the premises, No. 804 King street, Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock m., on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1908,

the following personal property, to-wit: Four pool tables, the cues, racks, balls and other equipment thereof, show cases, chairs and other furniture, stock of cigars, tobacco, merchandise and store fixtures, in and upon said premises. JAMES R. CATON,

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By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE ENTERED on the 22nd day of September, 1908, in the chancery cause of John McWilliams, executor, against Annie Webster et als., pending in the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1908,

at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Market building on Royal street, Alexandria, Va., all that lot of ground with the improvements thereon at the southeast intersection of Pitt and Queen streets, in said city—No. 227 north Pitt street—fronting on Queen street 15 feet 5 inches and on Pitt street 52 feet 7 inches, with a four foot alley in rear leading into Pitt street, with all appurtenances (see liber Y No 3, page 439), upon the following term: One-third cash and the residue of the purchase money in two equal payments at six and twelve months, bearing interest evidenced by the notes of the purchaser and secured by a retention of title or deed of trust.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,
Commissioner of Sale.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, do hereby certify that John M. Johnson has executed the bond required in the above court.

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SHE SAID "YES" BY CABLE.

A proposal by cable culminated Wednesday night in the marriage of Miss Adelaide Franz, daughter of the late E. D. Franz, millionaire merchant of St. Louis, to Lieut. Robert Zimmerman, jr., of the German navy, at the Church of Our Saviour, in Chicago. Five years ago the bride went to Kiel, Germany, to study music, and there met the lieutenant. When she returned two years ago they corresponded.

Two months ago Miss Franz received a cablegram which read:

"Will you marry me?"

"Yes," she answered.

The date was fixed and Lieut. Zimmerman obtained a six weeks' leave of absence from the battleship Hanover. Last Tuesday he landed in New York and went immediately to Chicago to be married.

Lieut. Zimmerman is a son of Robert Zimmerman, millionaire director of the Vulcan Shipbuilding Company, of Stettin, Germany, and is second in command of the battleship Hanover.


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The city of Manchester, Va., was horrified early yesterday afternoon to learn that Joseph Wood, a popular young white man and a clerk in L. Tonny's grocery store, had been blinded by concentrated lye thrown in his face by Bud Norriss, a negro driver for the store. The negro made no attempt to escape, surrendering without a struggle.

He had been recently released from the asylum for the colored insane at Petersburg and was considered a harmless fellow. The negro became angered because Wood ordered him to quit gossiping and go to work. The negro went to the kitchen in the rear and on pretense that he desired it to use in scrubbing the floor, he procured half a cup of concentrated lye from Tonny's cook. This he mixed with water in a tin can and waiting patiently for an opportunity, dashed the can of liquor into Wood's face. The sight of one eye was destroyed and the other was badly damaged. Wood's face is fearfully burned


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BOY SHOOTS HIS FATHER.

In defense of his mother, whose life was threatened, Theodore E. Eller, 19 years old, of Newark, N. J., shot and mortally wounded his father, John Eller, 55 years old, in the family home. The youth leaned over the shoulder of the terrorized mother, placed the muzzle of a pistol against the head of his father, and pulled the trigger. Before the elder man could fall the lad fired another bullet into his father's shoulder. Then he assisted in carrying his parent to a neighboring store to await the coming of an ambulance. He awaited there until the police arrested him. The father will probably die.

DIED STRAPPED TO BED.

After suffering with convulsions at intervals for two weeks, Mrs. Harvey Day, of Elizabeth, N. J., died of hydrophobia yesterday. Last August her husband, a woman neighbor and a mail carrier were bitten by the dog which caused Mrs. Day's death, and are being watched for hydrophobia symptoms. Physicians reported yesterday that they have noted symptoms of hydrophobia in the actions of Mr. Day, but hope to prevent the development of the disease.

The first indication of the dog's madness was its attack on a mail carrier who entered the Day's yard to deliver the mail. The animal had bitten the carrier's leg when Mrs Day came to the rescue. The dog turned upon her and bit her five time in the arm. Mrs. Duty, a neighbor, who attempted to help Mrs. Day, also was bitten, and Mr. Day suffered several bites before the dog was killed. For two days before her death Mrs. Day was strapped to the bed.

BASS FOR THE POTOMAC.

Commissioner of Fisheries Bowers had a conference with the president yesterday on the work of the federal fish commissioner. He told the president that during the last fiscal year the commission distributed 2,811 000,000 fish and eggs throughout the country, which broke the record by 80 000 000. Among these fish were 568,000,000, white fish.

He said that three carloads of Mississippi bass are are being brought here to be placed in the upper Potomac river.

Motor and Horse Races. Burke, Va., October 8th, 1908.

In connection with the above occasion, Southern Railway will operate special excursion train from Washington to Burke and return; leave Washington 11.10 a. m. October 8th, pass Alexandria 11.27 a. m., Springfield 11.4 : a. m, arrive Burke 11.55 a. m; returning leave Burke 6.15 p. m. same day, arrive Washington 7.00 p. m. Round trip from Washington will be 75c, Alexandria 50c and children 20c.


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ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER

WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCT. 7, 1908.

DRAWING large, cheering crowds all day in the course of his travels through Iowa, Mr. W. J. Bryan hurled defiance at his opponents and challenged them to meet his arguments. Fifteen speeches and handshaking with thousands constituted his day's work, the concluding speech being made at Cedar Rapids last night in the Auditorium, which was filled to overflowing long before he was scheduled to arrive. Previously to going to the hall he was serenaded at the hotel and he addressed an immense throng from the balcony. The keynote of his principal remarks at Cedar Rapids was that republican policies meant disaster, while democratic policies meant prosperity. On this subject he said:

The democratic party is absolutely necessary to restore prosperity. The republican party has had its chance and it has failed. We are now in the midst of a depression for which natural conditions furnish no excuse. Artificial conditions are responsible for the present business prostration, and those artificial conditions originated in republican policies. The business failures for the nine months ended on September 30 were 11,943 in number and the liabilities amounted to $179,000,000. It means that if the assets are worth, in fact, the amount at which they are placed, there will still be a loss of $50,000,000 to account for. This tremendous loss comes at a time when nature has not withheld her bounty. It comes when the republicans are in complete control. They have a president whom they eulogize in their platform, a Senate completely in the hands of the republican party and a republican House of Representatives dominated by a despotic speaker.

That Mr. Bryan set forth facts and figures which cannot be refuted must be apparent to all fair-minded persons.

ALEXANDER MACKAY-SMITH, bishop coadjutor of Pennsylvania, with Mrs. Mackay-Smith, returning from attending the Lambeth conference of the Protestant Episcopal Church, held at London, arrived in New York yesterday from Europe. "What is the greatest evil with which the church is called on to contend?" he was asked. "Worldliness," was his reply. "Too much money, too much prosperity. Too much epicureanism, too much fine raiment, too many fast autos." "What is the remedy?" the bishop was asked. The latter replied: "Preaching of the old time Gospel. I do not mean to preach hell, fire and brimstone, but I do mean that the preacher should have them in mind when he addresses his congregation." The above will have but little effect upon the rank and file of the church militant, most of whom cannot blind themselves to the fact that many church dignitaries generally enjoy everything in the way of luxury the world brings forth.

FOUR WEEKS from today the result of the presidential election of 1908 will have been known and when the country will be showing signs of settling down to normal conditions. The democratic party today presents a more formidable front than at any time since Grover Cleveland's first election, it being more solidly united and exempt from the divisions and dissatisfaction apparent among the republicans. That Mr. Bryan is gaining ground every day is conceded by many prominent members of the party opposing him, and their anxiety is apparent. The action of President Roosevelt in foisting Mr. Taft upon his party is still resented by representative republicans, and while such may may not vote for Mr. Bryan, they are in an apathetic state from which they are not likely to be aroused during the present campaign.

## From Washington.

Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.

Washington, Oct. 7.

A political explosion is contemplated to embarrass Secretary of the Interior Garfield in his official connection with with the granting of leases in Indian territory to the Prairie Oil & Gas Company. It is said that a charge will be made that the records of the Interior Department show that Secretary Garfield did exactly what it has been maintained by the president he did not give the Prairie Oil & Gas Company valuable leases on special conditions outside of his predecessors rules and regulations of 1906, while denying similar treatment to a Wichita and other independent concerns having absolutely no connection with the Standard Oil trust.

The following estimates were given out today by the crop reporting aboard of the Department of Agriculture: Spring wheat: Indicated total production about 233 090,000 bushels as compared with 224 645,000, final estimate in 1907 Spring and winter wheat combined: Production about 659,030,000 as compared with 634,087,000 last year. Corn: Condition on October 1st 77 8, as compared with 78.0 on October 1, 1907. Oats: Indicated total yield 789,161,000 bushels as compared with 754,443,000, the final estimate in 1907. Tobacco: Average condition at time of harvest, 84.1, as compared with 84 8 at harvest 1907.

The Atlantic fleet, upon completing its voyage around the world, will proceed directly from the states of Gibraltar to Hampton Roads to be reviewed by the president, secretary of the navy and the navy general board, on February 22nd, (Washington's Birthday). The fleet will then proceed directly to New York for the programme of receptions and entertainments which the people of New York have made known to the president their desire to extend to the officers and men.

When Secretary Loeb has shown today a statement from Bishop Cranston of the Genesee M. E. Conference, at Rochester, N. Y., to the effect that he has received a letter from President Roosevelt positively announcing that he will not take the stump in behalf of Judge Taft's candidacy, he promptly side-stepped. "We never tell the substance of letters sent out from here," was his non-committal response. Until the full text of the letter has been made public politicians here are disposed to withhold comment upon the interpretation put upon it by the reverend bishop.

It was made clear at the White House today that the president will not consider it "pernicious political activity" for government clerks in Washington to go home to vote.

President Roosevelt today approved the recommendation of the War and Navy Departments that the employes at arsenals and navy yards hereafter shall be paid weekly, instead of semi-monthly.

The pocketbook snatcher added two victims, women, to his list in Washington, last night, making a total of five thefts in six days.

Indiana politics are being discussed by the President and Senator Hemingway, of Indiana, at the White House today. The Senator said on leaving the White House that he had taken up Indiana politics with the President and had assured him that the state was safely republican. According to present advices he will continue important conferences at the White House, particularly with other members of the republican national executive committee. When National Committeeman Ward left the President today after a second conference he explained that the general political situation had been discussed and that in New York reviewed. He said that New York was safe for Taft and Hughes, but declined to give any figures. He also declined to express any opinion as to what he thought the falling off in the registration in New York meant.

The Columbia Cotton Oil and Provision Company, composed of Washington business men, has just been organized under a Virginia charter with a capital of $500,000. Its object is to refine cottonseed oil, and for this purpose has bought out the plant of the Virginia Stockyards and Abattoir Company, near Rosslyn. The officers are G. P. Sacks, president; Wm. G. Carter, secretary: Thomas Grant, treasurer; Robert N. Harper and H. Bradley Davidson, vice presidents.

### Presidential Candidates in Chicago.

Chicago, Oct. 7.—Chicago is the center of the political map today, with William Howard Taft and William Jennings Bryan, the two candidates for president, both partaking of its hospitality. They are here for the convention of the Lakes to Golf Deepwaterways Association, but they will also improve their time by conferences with the republican and democratic leaders.

Mr. Taft was met at the Annex by Chairman Hitchcock of the republican national committee with whom he conferred. The candidate and chairman discussed the itinerary of Mr. Taft's southern trip, which is expected to begin next week.

Mr. Taft will spend part of tomorrow in Chicago, returning to Cincinnati tomorrow afternoon.

Chicago, Oct. 7.—W. J. Bryan conferred with National Chairman Lamb and P. L. Hall, Judge Martin J. Wade, of Iowa, and Robert E. Wing of New Orleans here today.

In a statement Bryan said: "There is not a state in the United States where our reports do not absolutely show that our cause is gaining converts daily."

Mr. Bryan will leave here early Friday and will make speeches in Joliet, Streator, Fallsburg, Quincy, Ill., and Hannibal, Mo., Saturday he will tour Missouri. A projected speech by Mr. Bryan in St. Louis Friday night has been called off. Bryan will leave Lincoln on his last "swing around the circles" Oct. 19.

### Japan's Proposed Welcome to Fleet.

Tokio, Oct. 7.—A mighty Japanese fleet of 29 ships, now assembling at Yokohama, was designated by the Mikado today as a welcoming escort to the American fleet. The ships will sail out of Yokohama harbor two days before the arrival of Admiral Sperry's ships, and on the last day of the cruise from Manila the two fleets will sail together. The government has arranged to give special postal facilities to the Americans and free railway and tramway transportation. Japanese students have volunteered to act as guides and interpretors for the visitors. The prettiest feature planned for the celebration is the procession of lanterns and the singing of "America" by Japanese school children, who will surround the fleet on a flotilla of small craft. According to the latest plans of Admiral Sperry the fleet will sail from Manila for home on December 1 after its return from Chinese waters, and will arrive at Suez on January 5.

### Yacht Disaster.

New York, Oct. 7.—The sailing yacht Mayflower, old time cup defender, and recently fitted out by the Southern Research Society for a sunken treasure expedition to the West Indies, was reported today by the steamer Advance to have been dismasted at sea during the fierce gales that have been raging in the West Indian Ocean. When passed by the Advance last Saturday the Mayflower was flying signals of distress and laboring in the heavy seas with a patch of canvas rigged on the stump of her foremast The Advance attempted to stand by, but could do nothing in the face of the gale, The Advance kept the Mayflower in sight until a fruit steamer hove in sight and signalled that she would take care of the steamer. The crew of the Mayflower are nearly all college men, who, animated by a spirit of adventure, organized the Southern Research Society and set out for sunken treasures. They sailed from the Marine Basin September 19.

Baltimore, Oct. 7.—Twelve college men seeking lost treasure, are bound for Baltimore on the steamer Hippolyte Dumois, which has passed in the Capes and which rescued them from the wreck of the yacht Mayflower.

### The Thaw Case.

White Plains, N. Y., Oct. 7.—District Attorney Jerome was defeated today in his efforts to have the place of trial of the question of Harry K. Thaw's insanity transferred from west Chester to New York county. Supreme Court Justice Mills denied his motion and stated that the case must be disposed of in this county. The first hearing will open Monday morning in the court house here.

## Virginia News.

W. F. Mark, for many years an engineer on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, died suddenly at Strasburg yesterday evening.

The second annual convention of the Virginia State Dairymen's Association will meet at Murphy's Annex, Richmond, tonight.

Lewis Sheppard was struck and killed by northbound passenger train No. 44 near Nokesville, Sunday night. Sheppard was on his way to church at Bristow. Three men have been killed by trains within the past week within 25 miles of Manassas.

A pretty home wedding was celebrated at Culpeper, yesterday, when Miss Fannie Grimsley was married to Mr. Cadell Smith. The bride is a daughter of Judge D. A. and Mrs. Grimsley and the groom is a business man of New York.

The grand jury of Frederick County Circuit Court yesterday at Winchester, indicted Thomas Sagar, a well-known distiller, for illegal sale of intoxicants. Sager was recently arrested by Sheriff Purcell, but not until after a desperate struggle. John Fishel and Randolph Himmelright were also indicted for the same offense.

Annie Ritter, a young white woman, of Winchester, was indicted for forging a check, and Owen Fuller was yesterday for assault on Henry Neville, an aged inmate of Parish farm. It is alleged that Fuller grabbed the old man by his long, white beard and beat him on the head with a sharp stone.

An eastbound freight train, in charge of Sam Pollock, and consisting of about 35 coal cars, was wrecked yesterday about twelve miles east of Covington, blocking the eastbound track several hours. The accident was caused by the bursting of a wheel, which derailed about twelve cars of coal and did considerable damage to the track. No one was hurt.

After a lively fight with a big black bear on Massanutten Mountain, in Shenandoah county, Linden Allen, a young man of Mount Jackson, killed the beast with a shot gun. Allen was squirrel hunting when the bear sprang out of the undergrowth and attacked him, after knocking over his dog with one of its paws. The bear was almost on Allen when the boy fired both barrels into its body. It weighed nearly 200 pounds.

Cadet Savage, of the Staunton Military Academy, is lying at a hospital at Staunton with a serious injury which he received in a singular manner While he was asleep in his room at the academy a fellow-cadet in an adjoining room thrust a steel ramrod through the wall and it ran into his eye by accident Young Savage is from New York and his father was summoned at once. He may lose his eye.

A large frame structure called the Fount Comfort Tavean, on Mill creek, near Fort Monroe, burned to the ground yesterday afternoon, the building being unoccupied. The loss amounts to about $32,000. A stock company composed of well known people erected this building for the Jamestown Exposition period, and during the exposition it was used as an annex to the Chamberlin Hotel

Herbert Burnley, the white man who is on trial in the corporation court at Lynchburg, today, on the charge of robbing the store of the J. P. Bell Company in that city last July, is feigning insanity. Burnley has set fire to his bed several times, but has either extinguished it himself, or it was done by others in the jail before any damage was done. The man is charged with stealing fountain pens to the value of some $400 or $500.

The second day's events of the Virginia State Fair in Richmond were run yesterday in the presence of a tremendous gathering. Fauquier, Robert Neville's steeplechaser, was killed at the first jump in the Virginia State Fair Steeplechase, and Jockey C. H. Brown was badly hurt. The horse, a bay gelding, took the hurdle, fell and another of the racers coming on stepped into the middle of its head.

Awakened by the screams of her next-door neighbor, Mrs. Silas McCann arose to find her home at Norfolk ablaze yesterday morning. Gathering her three little children she leaped through a window of the second story to a roof over the front porch and there, while the flames and smoke hid him from view, they awaited for some one to save them. W. W. Ballance stood upon the porch banisters, and, grasping the eaves of the porch, held himself with one hand and lifted the woman and children to safety with the other.

## BASEBALL NOTES.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

NEW YORK WINS ANOTHER.

The New York club is within a single game of tieing Chicago. If they beat Boston again today the result of the disputed game to be played with Chicago will determine the championship.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

New York, 4; Boston, 1.
Philadelphia, 9; Brooklyn, 4.

HOW THEY STAND.

| | W | L | Pct | | W | L | Pct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 98 | 55 | 641 | Cincinn'i | 74 | 80 | 477 |
| New York | 97 | 55 | 638 | Boston | 63 | 88 | 417 |
| Pittsburg | 98 | 56 | 636 | Brookl'n | 53 | 100 | 346 |
| Phil'phia | 82 | 71 | 536 | St. Louis | 49 | 105 | 318 |

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

DETROIT WINS PENNANT.

Detroit yesterday won the American league pennant for the second year by beating Chicago in the last game of the season.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Boston, 11; New York, 3.
Detroit, 7; Chicago, 0.
Cleveland, 5; St. Louis, 1.
Washington, 3; Philadelphia, 2.

HOW THEY STAND.

| | W | L | Pct | | W | L | Pct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Detroit | 90 | 63 | 588 | Boston | 74 | 78 | 487 |
| Cleveland | 90 | 64 | 584 | Phila'phia | 67 | 84 | 444 |
| Chicago | 88 | 64 | 579 | Wash'n | 64 | 85 | 430 |
| St. Louis | 83 | 69 | 547 | New York | 51 | 100 | 338 |

### Reported Assassination.

New York, Oct. 7 —Cable advices received here this afternoon discredit the reported assassination of Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria. Vienna has not heard the rumor and it is considered impossible for the prince to have been killed without the Austrian capital receiving word.

Athens, Oct. 7.—Dispatches just received here apparently confirm the Constantinople rumor that Prince Constantine of Greece was assassinated while attending the Servian army maneuvers. The city has been thrown into the wildest excitment by the report.

## News of the Day.

The Rhode Island democrats yesterday nominated Olney Arnold for governor.

Mr. John W. McCormick, a prominent republican politician died at his home in Baltimore yesterday after a two weeks illness, following a stroke of paralysis.

Cardinal Gibbons is expected to arrive in New York from abroad this afternoon, according to a wireless report from the steamship Coronia.

Augustus D. Lynch, for 36 years connected with the office of the comptroller of the currency of the Treasury Department, died suddenly in his apartment at the Shoreham Hotel, Washington, yesterday, aged 70 years.

Mr. Benjamin Andrews, veteran of the civil war, politician and sporting man, died Monday night in Washington at the George Washington University Hospital after an operation. He had been a sufferer for years from diabetes.

At least 55,000 men in Philadelphia will be unable to vote at the coming presidential election because they failed to register. Figures given out yesterday by the registration commissioners show that only 285,000 voters qualified on the three registration days designated by law, where as there are 340,000 on the assessors lists.

Naval officials are disappointed that they have not been able to get the cruiser Yankee off Spindle Rock, on which she stranded about two weeks ago. Each succeeding spell of heavy weather, of which there have been several, does further damage to the vessel, which was badly battered when she struck. They still hope to float her.

For the seventh time in 27 years John Murphy, aged 47, was sentenced to Sing Sing yesterday for having burglar tools in his possession. The tools consisted of a revolver and a screwdriver. Because of his record, the judge held the screwdriver to be a burglar's tool. Murphy's sentence this time was seven years.

Fred Corbett, the Italian lightweight, beat Kid Sullivan, of Washington, in the wind-up at the Douglas Club, in Philadelphia, last night. The bout was a stubbornly-contested one, and the Italian had his work cut out for him. Sullivan was game as usual, and he took a lot of punishment, but he was slow and lacked science.

For the year ended September 30, 1908, the State department of West Virginia collected $87,966,82 in inheritance taxes. While the total amount is not quite so large as in 1907, when $95,010,46 was collected as inheritance taxes, about one-fourth of the total in the preceding year was collected from one state.

Dr. A. P. Herring, of the lunacy commission, submitted a report to, Governor Crothers, in Washington, yesterday showing the horrible conditions existing in county jails and almhouses. He says the county asylums presented revolting conditions—men and women are housed together and left to their own resource and are huddled in dark courts without ventilation.

"Any law that might be enacted which will prevent a man from buying a drink is unconstitutional." This was the statement made by Police Justice Garland in his address before the twentieth annual convention of the American Bottlers' Protective Association of the United States at its opening session at the Germania Maennerchor Hall, Baltimore, yesterday.

Norman E. Mack, chairman of the democratic national committee, collapsed at Chicago last night in his rooms at the Auditorium. The breakdown was caused by overwork, a chill, and a severe cold. At midnight the attending physician said he would rally speedily from the sickness, that he had but little fever, and looked for his speedy return to work.

Struck by an Adams Express Co. automobile while riding a bicycle at Fourteenth street and Pennsylvania avenue yesterday, Alfred Lewis, of Washington, was thrown to the ground, sustaining serious injuries. While Lewis lay on the ground, surrounded by a crowd, awaiting the arrival of the Emergency Hospital ambulance, a thief removed $19 in bills from his pockets.

A score of persons were more or less seriously injured late yesterday, just as Booker Washington closed an address at the Coliseum on the fair grounds at Jackson, Miss. An audience of 4,000 or 5,000 had assembled to hear him, many white persons from the city being present. As the crowd arose to leave, one section of the gallery gave way gradually. Few persons were injured. Bishop Charles B. Galloway escaped with a few painful bruises. Thomas Helm, one of Jackson's oldest and wealthiest men, had a broken arm.

Rev. Dr. Arthur Selden Lloyd who declined the position of bishop Coadjutor of Maryland, to which he was elected last week, has sent a letter to that effect to Rev. Dr. A. C. Powell, chairman of the notification committee. In his letter Dr. Lloyd says: The coadjutorship of Maryland may be a more exalted office than the one I now hold, but I cannot convince myself that I would be dealing justly with the Board of Foreign and Domestic Missions if I left this office to accept the honor which has been conferred upon me by my election as coadjutor bishop of the Maryland Diocese."

A mother's thought for the future happiness of her daughter when the shadows of death were surrounding her was recalled yesterday in the announcement of the marriage of Miss Robena M. DeFrain and Albert Edward Meininger, both of Washington, which was solemnized in the afternoon at Rockville. Calling her daughter to her bedside Monday morning the mother, who has been seriously ill for several months, said, "Robena, I want to see you safely married. Can't you have the ceremony performed today?" The daughter realized that the parent was in the shadow of death and agreed to have the marriage solemnized at once.

Charles G. Pratt, aged about forty years, employed as engineer on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, was fatally injured at Lester, W. Va., on the Piney branch, and died at 10 o'clock yesterday morning from his injuries. Pratt had been down under an engine working over a hot pony truck, when Engineer Sam Brown, in charge of another train, ran into the engine Pratt was at work under. A fatal accident was the result, Pratt being dragged under the engine and his body horribly torn and crushed. The injured man suffered intense agony until death relieved him about an hour afterward. He leaves a wife and two little sons and one young daughter.

Mrs. C. R. Bittner, wife of a physician, was killed yesterday a short distance from her home at Garrett, Md., in a runaway accident. She was returning from a funeral and was in a wagon containing six passengers. The driver pulled to the side of the road to allow another wagon to pass. The rear wheel struck a telegraph pole, throwing Mrs. Bittner out. She died in a short time.

## Today's Telegraphic News

### The European War Cloud.

England believes Germany will attempt to block conference of powers.

Mobs attacked Austrian legation in Belgrade.

Austria will probably refuse to attend conference of power.

The Porte accuses Franz Josef of treachery.

Rebellion sweeps Bosnia and martial law is threatened.

The Austrian army corps is mobilizing to resist the threatened Servian invasion.

Crete threatens revolt against Turkey and union with Greece.

The Vienna foreign office says annexation plans are no concern of old powers.

The Porte complains that Austria is not keeping pledge to evacuate Novipazar.

Belgrade Oct. 7.—Mobs of angry Servians are today surrounding the Austrian legation, threatening to renew an attack which began last night and continued until dawn when a detachment of soldiers succeeded in beating back the infuriated crowds.

Troops are now guarding the legation.

Every window in the legation building was broken during the night attacks. The legation attaches, aided by soldiers, were able to keep the mob from entering the legation.

London, Oct. 7.—Diplomats admits that the Balkan situation is one of the most awkward that ever confronted them. Foreign representatives are openly discussing Austria-Hungary's treachery and foreign Minister Von Aerenthal is accused of deliberately lying to the rest of Europe. Several diplomats have openly insulted Von Aerenthal. The annexation proclamation of Emperor Franz Josef is considered a huge piece of diplomatic hyprocrisy.

Paris, Oct. 7.—The shadow of "the great bear" was thrown onto the screen of the Balkan situation today by the declaration of Foreign Minister Iswolsky, made to the Paris Temps, that only on condition of the Berlin treaty being revised so as to eliminate the clauses prejudicial to Russia's interests will Russia support the proposed plan for a revision. Iswolsky would not say just what concessions Russia would demand in the treaty revision, but his words are taken to mean that Russia would insist on an outlet for her Black Sea fleet.

### The French Syndicate's Prize.

Le Mans, France, Oct. 7.—With every aeroplane record to his credit and all requirements fulfilled for winning the French syndicate's prize of $100,000, Wilbur Wright is today being urged to make a flight across the English channel.

It is confidently believed that Wright could sail from Calais to Dover in forty minutes without the slightest danger. Wright is still demurring to the proposition on the ground that it would add nothing to proved practicability of his machine and would entail a senseless risk. Last evening Wright made a flight of one hour, four minutes and 26 seconds with Arnold Fordyce as his passenger, beating his previous two passenger flight of 55 minutes and 37 seconds. Both the time and weight conditions imposed upon Wright by the syndicate headed by Lazare Weiller have now been met and Wright will secure the $100,000 offered for the French rights to the machine without further delay.

### Policeman Suffocated.

Jersey City, N. J., Oct. 7.—Policeman Nicholas Nestor, 26 years old, lost his life today in the performance of his duty. Nestor discovered smoke issuing from No. 813 Ocean avenue, and after turning in an alarm of fire—rushed into the building, seized an aged woman, Mrs. Whitnebeig, and carried her from her bed to the street. Returning to the building the policeman ran up stairs through the blinding smoke to the top floor in search of other persons, not knowing that all had escaped in their night clothes. Nestor was overcome and suffocated. He was not missed until two hours later, when Police Captain Coughlin called for his report. The body was found on the top floor. He had only been on the force a year.

### Missing Balloonists.

Philadelphia, Oct. 7.—Fears are entertained for the safety of A. A. Atherhold, secretary of the Philadelphia Aero Club, and Vinton S. Loder, of east Stroudsburg, who made an ascent in the balloon Initial yesterday from Point Breeze. The balloon, soon after the ascent, acted in an unmanageable manner. It was last seen soaring away into the clouds of night and had not been reported as landing up to eleven o'clock today. At the offices of A. T. Atherholt and Company, manufacturers' agents, apprehension is felt concerning the balloonists' safety, and the feeling prevails that they may have been swept out to sea.

### Automobile Accidents.

New York, Oct. 7.—Practicing for the elimination trials of the Vanderbilt cup race on Saturday two entrants met disaster today. First the "Bluebird," the Chalmers-Detroit entry, caught fire and was badly damaged. Lorimer, its driver, and his mechanician escaped serious injury.

On the perilous "S" turn at Joyce a little later the Stoddard-Dayton car ripped off the right rear tire and plunged from the roadway into the bushes. Tuttle, its driver, and his mechanician were thrown out; neither was badly hurt but the car was badly damaged.

### Masonic Square and Compass.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 6.—Grand Master Joseph W. Eggleston, of the Grand Lodge of Virginia, has presented St. John's Lodge, A. F. & A. M., the oldest Masonic lodge in the country, with a square and compass made from nails taken from the Richmond Masonic Hall, built in 1785, the oldest Masonic building in America. They are attached to a silver shield and have been hung on the walls of the lodge room. Another gift was the diploma given to Commodore Samuel Tucker, January 30, 1779, by Bristol Lodge, of Bristol, Me.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is the best salve for piles. Be sure you get DeWitt's. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

### Deep Waterways Association.

Chicago, Oct. 7.—President William K. Kavanaugh called the convention of the lakes to the Gulf Deep Waterways Association to order at 10 o'clock today. A thousand delegates including 250 men prominent in public life, were present at the opening session. William Howard Taft, who was one of the speakers, of the morning, occupied a seat on the platform.

The opening address was made by President Kavanaugh.

Bishop Fallows pronounced the invocation.

Appointment of committees and routine business followed.

Governor Charles S. Dineen introduced Judge Taft, who addressed the convention.

Mr. Taft in his speech pledged himself to a systematic generous policy for the improvement of our rivers and lakes. The cost of making ocean harbors out of the cities of the Great Lakes, the Mississippi and its tributaries will be enormous, he said, but large as it promises to be, it will be a splendid investment and pay tremendous dividends in the saving of freight charges and the opening up of vast undeveloped areas of the country.

In conclusion he said:

To leave progress in this matter to the fitful and partisan consideration of appropriation committees in congress, influenced by a desire to reduce the appearance of total expenditure each year as much as possible, is to impair the necessary financial support of every one of these great enterprises and to drag them along from year to year and greatly to delay their ultimate completion."

The convention then adjourned till Thursday.

### A Strange Story.

Odessa, Oct. 7.—Forced by the head of one of the semi-civilized Tartar tribes in the Caucasus to wall up the chieftain's daughter in a living tomb somewhere in or near the town of Baku, Peter Kavulitch, an Austrian stone mason, has gone mad with horror and has just been committed to an institution in Odessa.

Kavulitch's story, told to the Baku authorities before his mind failed, is that he was kidnapped on the streets of Baku; that he was thrown into a carriage with a small party of masked and armed men, driven blindfolded for several miles, led into what he took to be a vault or cellar and ordered to wall up a young woman who stood bound in the masonry.

When he protested one of his captors told him that the girl deserved her fate. She was the daughter of a rich Tartar, it was explained who had engaged her to a man of her own rank, but she had eloped with her father's lackey.

Overtaken, she was tried by a family council and condemned to die. To the lackey's fate no reference was made.

Kavulitch objected to the role of executioner but was threatened with death unless he complied.

The girl wept and begged for mercy but the Tartars paid no attention to her and made terrible threats against the mason whenever he desisted in his work.

His task finished, Kavulitch was blind folded again, driven to a lonely spot on a road leading out of Baku, given 100 rubles and turned adrift.

He reported the case to the police but was powerless to guide them to the scene of the tragedy. Within a few days he lost his reason from brooding over the affair.

### Woman to be Arrested.

Philadelphia, Oct. 7.—Mrs. J. Clayton Erb, whose sister, Mrs. Katherine Beisel, last night shot and killed Captain J. Clayton Erb, husband of the former, will be placed under arrest before night on orders from District Attorney Macdade. Whether Mrs. Erb is to be held as an accesory or merely as a witness the authorities so far refuse to state. It was not decided to make the arrest until after the coroner's investigation had disclosed facts at variance with the story of the shooting as told by Mrs. Beisel. Developments brought to light through the investigation by the coroner show that Erb was shot from the rear, three bullets entering his body. Mrs. Beisel claims she shot Erb in self-defense. Mrs. Beisel was locked up in the county jail at Media early today. Beyond the statement that she killed Erb in self-defense the woman has little to say and from her cell sent word that she had no statement to make for publication. Last night's tragedy climaxed a series of domestic battles royal in Erb's splendid country home just outside of Media. Mrs. Beisel, a younger sister of Mrs. Erb, is said to have figured prominently in all of these affairs and to have been termed by Erb as the chief cause of his troubles. Mrs. Erb was the divorced wife of W. G. Rothermel, a broker, who committed suicide a few months prior to her marriage to Erb. Accusations of infidelity have been made at frequent times recently by both husband and wife.

### Chairman Mack's Condition.

Chicago, Oct. 7.—Norman E. Mack, chairman of the democratic national committee, after eating a hearty breakfast denied that he was seriously ill. Mr. Mack's friends were alarmed by reports that he had collapsed and was in a critical condition. He said today he had nothing worse than a slight cold.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 7.—Mrs. Norman Mack, wife of the democratic national chairman, learned of her husband's collapse early today. After conferring with friends in Chicago by long distance telephone, it was decided that Mrs. Mack should join her husband at once. She left for Chicago this morning, via the Lake Shore Railroad.

### The Campaign in the East.

New York, Oct. 7.—Determined to put up a hot fight for Bryan in the east the speakers' bureau of the democratic campaign has today ordered its force of 500 speakers who have been busy in the central and western states to begin a movement on New York, New Jersey and Maryland. In addition to these about 150 members of congress are to busy themselves in the east for the next three weeks preaching the political gospel of the Nebraskan.

Only a little cold in the head may be the beginning of an obstinate case of Nasal Catarrh. Drive out the invader with Ely's Cream Balm applied straight to the inflamed stuffed up air-passages. Price 50c. If you prefer to use an atomizer, ask for Liquid Cream Balm. It has all the good qualities of the solid form of this remedy and will rid you of catarrh or hay fever. No cocaine to breed a dreadful habit. No mercury to dry out the secretion. Price 75c, with spraying tube. All druggists, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren street, New York.

### New York Stock Market.

New York, Oct. 7.—Bulgaria was the dominating influence today and transactions here after the first few minutes reflected increased uneasiness in London and on the continent. There was a show of strength following opening declines but the improvement lasted only a few minutes. London houses appeared as heavy sellers of all the international shares causing declines. At the end of the first hour the market was very unsettled and feverish. It was generally commented that the downward movement was due wholly to the more unfavorable tone of cables from the other side.

There was a steadier tone to the market later following the vigorous selling by London. Later in the forenoon a moderate recovery started with some aggressive buying.

### President Will Not Go On the Stump.

Rochester, N. Y., Oct. 7.—"If any one tells you that President Roosevelt is going on the stump you may say that he is mistaken. The president will not take any such action. I have it on good authority."

This statement was made today by Bishop Earl Cranston, D. D., LID., of Washington, who has been presiding over the Genesee M. E. conference just closed here, to a group of pastors.

When asked later about it the bishop said he had the president's personal word in the matter and showed the envelope of a letter addressed from Washington. Bishop Cranston would not say the letter was from the president, but intimated as much. The bishop has been a resident of Washington for many years and is known to be a friend of the president.

### Guffey's Denial.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 7.—"Haskell's statement that I ever discussed the Osage Oil lease with the president is an absolute falsehood," declared Col. J. M. Guffey to a representative of the United Press when asked for a statement regarding the open letter published by Governor Haskell yesterday. "I never met or spoke to President Roosevelt but once, and that was at a reception and dinner given him on July 4, 1902, at the Schenley Hotel, Pittsburg. That I am connected with the Standard Oil Company is a lie, more than thirty years old, revived every November and then by some scoundrel endeavoring to shield his own iniquities."

### Getting Ready for Game Tomorrow.

Chicago, Oct. 7.—Angry over the action of the directors of the National League in compelling them to play another game on the grounds of their rivals, but full of confidence that they will win and settle the League pennant race beyond question, the Chicagos left here for New York on the Twentieth Century limited this afternoon. "We have to accept the decision, I suppose," said Captain Frank Chance to-lay, "but it is an outrage." Angered, Chance criticised President Ebbetts, of Brooklyn, one of the three men who rendered the decision, as unqualified to act in the case. Chance declared that before the last Chicago series against Brooklyn Ebbetts expressed a wish to his players that the New Yorks would win the pennant. "Since we have to," Chance said, "we'll go to; New York and we'll win that pennant, too, don't you forget that. Feister probably will pitch for us, as he is in especially great form now and likely to be effective against the New Yorks, who do not like left-handers."

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The application of Mrs. Claudia L. Hains for $50 a week alimony, $2000 counsel fees and the custody of her children, pending trial of her suit for divorce from Capt. P. C. Hains, jr., was filed in Brooklyn yesterday.

Frenzied by his marital troubles John W. Richardson, a farmer, living near Norfolk, Va., today shot and killed his father-in-law, Beverly Cromwell; his sister-in-law, Josephine Cromwell, and the old family horse and then committed suicide.

Admiral Dewey being unable to attend, Rear Admiral Joseph Coghlan, retired, today spoke in behalf of the 35,000 United States sailors at the opening and dedication of the new $325,000 Seamen's Institute at New York, which has been aided by Mrs. Russell Sage to the extent of $150,000.

Georgia votes today for governor and state officers and also on a disfranchisement amendment to the constitution, the purpose of which is to deprive ignorant negroes of the ballot.

### Wholesale Prices of Produce.

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| Flour Extra | 4 00 | a | 4 25 |
| Family | 4 75 | a | 5 00 |
| Fancy brands | 5 25 | a | 5 75 |
| Wheat, longberry | 0 97 | a | 1 00 |
| Mixed | 0 95 | a | 0 97 |
| Fults | 0 85 | a | 0 90 |
| Damp and tough | 0e3 | a | 0 87 |
| Corn, white | 0 85 | a | 0 90 |
| Mixed | 0 83 | a | 0 85 |
| Yellow | 0 83 | a | 0 85 |
| Corn Meal | 0 98 | a | 1 00 |
| Rye | 0 65 | a | 0 70 |
| Oats, mixed, new | 0 45 | a | 0 50 |
| White, new | 0 48 | a | 0 53 |
| Elgin Print Butter | 0 32 | a | 0 34 |
| Butter, Virginia, packed | 0 18 | a | 0 20 |
| Choice Virginia | 0 20 | a | 0 22 |
| Common to middling | 0 14 | a | 0 16 |
| Eggs | 0 23 | a | 0 24 |
| Live Chickens (hens) | 0 11 | a | 0 12 |
| Spring Chickens | 0 15 | a | 0 18 |
| Potatoes, per bu | 90 | a | 1 00 |
| Sweet Potatoes | 1 50 | a | 2 00 |
| Onions, per bushel | 0 90 | a | 1 00 |
| Apples, per bbl | 0 00 | a | 3 50 |
| Dried Peaches, pealed | 0 10½ | a | 0 14 |
| Pork, per 100 lbs | 7 50 | a | 8 50½ |
| Bacon, country hams | 0 15 | a | 0 15 |
| Best sugar-cured hams | 0 15½ | a | 0 1 |
| Breakfast Bacon | 0 15 | a | 0 1 |
| Sugar-cured shoulders | 0 10 | a | 0 1 |
| Bulk shoulders | 0 10 | a | 0 11 |
| Dry Salt sides | 0 12½ | a | 0 12 |
| Fat backs | 0 11 | a | 0 11½ |
| Bellies | 0 12½ | a | 0 12½ |
| Sugars—Brown | 4 75 | a | 4 86 |
| Off A | 0 00 | a | 5 00 |
| Conf. standard | 0 00 | a | 5 25 |
| Granulated | 5 35 | a | 5 65 |
| Coffees—Rio | 0 10½ | a | 0 14 |
| LaGuayra | 0 15 | a | 0 16 |
| Java | 0 18 | a | 0 28 |
| Molasses B. S | 0 9 | a | 0 14 |
| C. B | 0 17 | a | 0 22 |
| New Orleans | 0 20 | a | 0 45 |
| Sugar Syrups | 0 16 | a | 0 30 |
| Porto Rico | 0 18 | a | 0 35 |
| Salt—G. A | 0 57 | a | 0 58 |
| Fine | 0 80 | a | 1 00 |
| Turk's Island | 1 00 | a | 1 00 |
| Wool—long, unwashed | 0 28 | a | 0 29 |
| Washed | 0 28 | a | 0 29 |
| Merino, unwashed | 0 28 | a | 0 29 |
| Do. washed | 0 28 | a | 0 29 |
| Herring, Eastern per bbl | 6 75 | a | 7 50 |
| Potomac No 1 | 3 00 | a | 3 25 |
| No. 1 Cut Potomac Herring | 3 25 | a | 3 50 |
| Potomac family roe | 4 50 | a | 5 00 |
| Do. half barrel | 2 25 | a | 3 00 |
| Potomac Shad, per half bbl | | a | 7 50 |
| Mackerel, small per bbl | 13 00 | a | 14 00 |
| No. 3 medium | 14 00 | a | 14 50 |
| No. 2 | 15 00 | a | 16 00 |

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES.—Regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock. By order of W. P.

JOSEPH H. WEST,
It Worthy Secretary.

### PROF. HOLLER'S REPLY.

Mr. Van Ardale omitted to say that he had been asked to associate with the Oriental University and that he acquiesced at first. His name was, however, dropped last April and another gentleman appointed. If on some of the circulars his name was not struck off, it was a mere oversight. Others, and highly qualified professors, are proud, as one of them wrote a few days ago: "I believe 'The Oriental' is destined to do good things and to meet with great success." H. P. HOLLER.

**Alexandria Gazette.**

WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCT. 7, 1908.

## Local Matters.

**Sun and Tide Table.**

Sun rises tomorrow at 6.03 and sets at 5:34. High water at 6 17 a. m. and 6.39 p. m.

**Weather Probabilities.**

For this section fair tonight and Thursday; light variable winds, shifting to westerly

### MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION.

The following is the constitution of the Alexandria Ministerial Association:

Art. 1—Name—This organization shall be known as The Alexandria Ministerial Association.

Art. 2—Object—This association is formed for mental help and benefit in ministerial work in the town; for united effort and influence upon social and ethical questions; and the presentation of papers on and discussion of topics of general interest.

Art. 3—Membership—Any Christian minister in charge of a regularly recognized church in Alexandria or vicinity, recognized by its own denomination, who shall sign the constitution.

Art. 4—Officers—There shall be a president, a vice-president, and a secretary-treasurer: and these shall constitute an executive committee to arrange for any special meeting or programme. They shall be elected annually in May.

Art. 5—Meetings—They shall be held (in some stated place) once a month, on the Monday after the first Sunday in the month, from 10 to 11.30 a. m. And special meetings may be called by the secretary, at the request of the president.

Art. 6—Topics—Care shall be taken not to introduce topics of a specific denominational character, which might disturb the harmony of the association.

Art. 7—Order of Business—Reading Scripture and prayer, calling roll and reading of minutes, reports of committees, new business, topic, adjournment, with benediction.

Art. 8—Quorum—Three members shall constitute a quorum; but it shall require a majority of the members to change the constitution. Notice of proposed amendment shall be submitted one month previous to the time of acting upon same.

Art. 9—Expenses—Any legitimate expenses shall be met by uniform assessment upon those who constitute the membership of the association.

Committee on Constitution—Edgar Carpenter, Joseph R. Sevier and G. I. Humphreys.

At a regular meeting of the association held June 17, 1907 this constitution was reported, and all articles approved, with the exception of Art. 5; though not formally adopted.

At a regular meeting, held July 8, 1907, Art. 5 was approved and the constitution as a whole formally adopted.

Members of the Alexandria Ministerial Association—Rev. C. D. Bulla, Edgar Carpenter, G. I. Humphreys, W. J. Morton, J. R. Sevier, W. W. VanArsdale D. D., and W. F. Watson.

### AGROUND NEAR FOUR MILE RUN

The fog was again very heavy this morning and navigation for steam and sail vessels very difficult. The Norfolk steamer was delayed about an hour in arriving here. On the 6:45 trip to Washington this morning the steamer Lackawanna ran aground off Four Mile run, on the Virginia side of the river and the passengers for Washington were taken on the tugboat D. M. Key and transported to that city. Later many returned to this city, being too late to reach their places of employment. The steamer Harry Randall on her trip down the river this morning tried to get to the Lackawanna but without avail. The tugboat D. M. Key is taking the steamer's place and carrying passengers to and from this city. The steamer will perhaps be floated tonight at high water.

### DEATH OF MR. BROADUS.

Mr. T. M. Broadus, son of Clarence L. Broadus and grandson of the late James Madison Broadus, of this city, died early yesterday morning at his home in Gordonsville, after a prolonged illness. Mr. Broadus will be remembered by many in Alexandria, having at one time been engaged in the drug business on the corner of King and Fairfax streets. He was a man of bright mind and high character and during his long residence in Gordonsville had made his influence felt as a positive force in his church and in the community at large.

### TO ELECT POLICEMAN.

Although the resignation of Policeman Henderson has not as yet been handed to the Police Commissioners there are at least a dozen applicants for the place. Until Chief Goods places the resignation in the hands of Mr. Zoro Hill, chairman of the board, no meeting will be called to elect Mr. Henderson's successor. It is presumed that the chief will do this today.

### OYSTER ROAST.

The Augusta, Admiral Calmes, will tomorrow convey the owner's friends to the lower river where they will indulge in an oyster roast. The party consists of the admiral, and Messrs. John Donnelly, Chas. Moore, Alonzo Travers, Thomas Travers and others. They will go as far as the White House Landing.

### DEMOCRATIC CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Bryan, Kern and Carlin Club was held last night and business incident to the meeting next Tuesday was transacted. On Saturday night Messrs. Robley D. Brumback and Howard W. Smith will address the members at headquarters at King street.

### COMPLIMENTS LODGE ROOM.

A great many strangers came to this city yesterday, some of whom had been in attendance on the Tuberculosis Congress held in Washington during the last few days, and congratulated the gentleman in charge of the Masonic Temple and spoke of the contrast with that and other places of historic interest, to the credit of Alexandria.

Stop in at the ELKTON and try a HOT OYSTER POT PIE tonight.

Cascasweet, the well known remedy for babies and children, will quiet the little one in a short time. The ingredients are printed on the bottle. Contains no opiates. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Buster Brown Shoes for children are the cheapest because they wear twice as long and are the best. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

### MAKING TEST OF NEW FIRE SIGNAL.

George W. Pettey, general manager of the Pettey Electrical Indicator Signal Company, of Alexandria, Va., is in this city today demonstrating the visible and audible signal to be used to avoid accident when the city's fire apparatus is responding to calls. The signal, if accepted by the city authorities, will be placed in the sections where the traffic is most congested, and will serve to avoid any danger of collisions or other accidents. The signal will be given a test today at East Grand and Broad streets, and a public test will be made in a day or two. Chief Gerstung is highly impressed with the workings of the apparatus, and said that he thinks the signal one of the best he has ever seen.

The indicator or signal is built of two arms resembling a double paddle, which are six feet long and fitted with a circuit of red lights on either end. A gong is attached and sounds the approach of the fire apparatus while the arms revolve at a rapid rate of speed. In the night the lights are lighted and attract the attention of drivers, motormen and others who may be in the vicinity. The signal works automatically from the engine house, and when the apparatus leaves the indicator is put into motion by the falling of a trip. The test will be made from Engine House No. 2.—[Elizabeth N. J., Journal Oct. 5.

### "WHEEL OF FIRE" TESTED BY FIREMEN.

The "Wheel of Fire," as it has been dubbed by the public, the contrivance adopted by the local fire department as a warning to teams that the engines are coming, was placed at East Grand and Broad streets this morning and tested. The two great arms whirled about at a rapid rate, the gong with which it is connected keeping up a continuous peal. The lights with which the affair is equipped and which will be used only at night, were tested and found to work perfectly. All the while the electricians were experimenting a crowd of several hundred persons gathered about and watched the work with interest.—[Elizabeth N. J., Journal Oct. 6.

### MEN'S MISSION CONFERENCE.

The first men's meeting of the laymen's missionary conference, to be held in the Second Presbyterian Church next Sunday and Monday, will be a big public men's mass meeting at 4 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, to which all the men of the city are invited. At this meeting addresses will be made by Mr. J. Harry Tyler, a business man and manufacturer of Baltimore, and chairman of the laymen's missionary movement in the southern Baptist Church, on the subject, "What Business Has a Business Man With Missions," and by Dr. James O. Reavis, of Nashville, Tenn., secretary of the executive committee of foreign missions of the southern Presbyterian Church, a man of unusual dramatic force and strength as a public speaker on the subject, "God's Call to Men." At this meeting of the conference, the Westminister quartette of the Presbyterian Church will sing. They sing entirely with accompaniment, and will be a feature of these meetings.

### AT WOMAN'S CLUB.

Miss Katherine Stuart, of Alexandria, talked to the members of Woman's Club Monday afternoon on the organization of a society to protect bird life. A large audience, made up of club members and guests of members, listened with much interest to the strong appeal made by Miss Stuart in behalf of birds and against their indiscriminate slaughter. A movement toward the organization of an Audubon Society will be perfected Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the rooms of the Travelers' Protective Association building, Third and Main streets, where Miss Stuart will meet and talk to all ladies interested in forming such a society.—[Richmond Times Dispatch.

### STARTS NOVEMBER FIRST.

About three carloads of machinery from Moline, Ill., arrived this morning and will be installed in the mill of T. F. Burroughs, Son & Co., immediately. The bulk of this machinery is for recleaning grain of all kinds. The millwright, Mr. J. B. Jones, is of the opinion that when completed this plant will be one of the best equipped grain mills in Virginia. The milling company has had installed a 100-horsepower electric motor to run the mill.

### POLICE COURT.

There was virtually no session of the Police Court this morning. Pansy Smith and Alice Vogler, arrested by Officer Nicholson charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited their collateral by failing to appear.

The case of John Miller, colored, charged with stealing a watch belonging to Mrs. Frances Hohenstein, had his case continued until tomorrow.

### REPAIRING WATER MAINS.

The water main at the intersection of King and Union streets is being repaired and as that point is the crossing of the steam and electric railroads and as the tracks at that intersection are badly in need of repairs in the way of raising, it is suggested that it would be a good time to commence on the work while the street is torn up.

### RECEIVER FOR STEAMBOAT COMPANY.

Judge T. R. B. Wright has appointed W. T. Mayo, of The Hague, Westmoreland county, receiver for the Washington and Potomac Steamboat Company's interests in the jurisdiction of his court, which includes all of the company's property at Colonial Beach, the Colonial Beach Hotel, amusement hall, excursion wharf and other property.

OYSTERS—LYNNHAVENS on half shell; BROILED on toast; CHAFING DISHES. Brill's Celebrated Single Fried at the OPERA HOUSE CAFE.

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### OPENING DAYS.

Today and tomorrow Rosenfeld's store will be the scene of unusual activity. Beautiful music, growing plants and cut flowers adorn an already well-arranged store. A bevy of pretty girls grace the occasion, ready to lend their earnest efforts to assist in serving the public who are anxious to help the Alexandria Hospital. Today and tomorrow ten per cent of the entire receipts of the establishment will be given to this institution. Added to the beauty of these surroundings, the chance of getting what you want at market price, is the consolation that 10 cents of every dollar one spends goes to the Alexandria Hospital. Souvenirs are given away in honor of the opening. This is the fifth anniversary of the Rosenfeld establishment. The store had been tastefully arranged and the display of millinery, coats, suits, waists, dress goods, silks, furs, &c., attracted many people. The opening will be continued tomorrow.

### AMUSEMENTS.

The Alexandria Amusement Company will have an entire change of pictures tonight. The programme will be one of the best ever exhibited. "Snake Charmer at Tangier," "The Fatal Hour," "Early Birds," "Eccentric Burglars" and "Bookie," which are funny and instructive. Don't fail to see them.

The Elite Picture Company will give a double show tonight, all new. "A Daughter's Honesty," "Good Dinner Badly Digested," "Riding School at Saumar," and "The Highwayman." These pictures are very fine, instructive and amusing. Mr. E. L. Hutcheson, baritone singer, and Mr. Charles Ricketts, pianist, will play a return engagement tonight, he comes at the request of many who heard him last week. J. A. Trunnell, in his comic and coon songs. The show will be the best we have offered to the public.

The Alexandria Opera House management have provided a rare treat for its patrons tonight. They will present two well-known comedians in a side-splitting comedy sketch, "Two Lunatics." Miss Bennet, the cultured elocutionist will appear in recitations. Many other numbers including our surpassing motion pictures.

### WEDDING.

The wedding of Miss Maria Mason Dawson, daughter of the late Nicholas Dawson and great granddaughter of the late George Mason, of Gunston Hall, to the Rev. William Gibson Pendleton, of Norfolk, will take place tonight at the chapel of the Theological Seminary near this city. Rev. Samuel A. Wallis will officiate. Miss Elizabeth Worthington, of Washington, will be maid of honor, and Mr. John Warner, of New York, best man. A reception will be given at Cameron, the home of the bride, near Alexandria. Mr. and Mrs Pendleton will have their home near Norfolk after a northern tour.

### WILL SPEAK TO THE LAMBS.

Mr. James R. Caton, candidate for lieutenant governor of the State of Virginia, who has just returned from New York, where he went on business, has accepted an invitation to speak to the Bryan, Kern and Lamb Club of Richmond, about 2,000 strong, on October 15th. Mr. Caton is well liked in the capital city of the State and is assured of the largest audience that has been seen at any similar gathering.

### ST. ANDREW BROTHERHOOD.

Alexandria Junior Assembly, Brotherhood of St. Andrew, held a meeting at St. Paul's Church last night. The subject under discussion was the "Holy Communion." Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector of Grace Church, and Mr. Hugh Jameson, of the Episcopal Theological Seminary, delivered addresses. A special musical and literary programme was rendered and the attendance was quite large. Rev. P. P. Phillips delivered the address of welcome. Monthly meetings will be held hereafter.

### THE EMERSON PUMP COMPANY

The Emerson Steam Pump Company has purchased from Messrs. James W. and Walter Roberts more than three acres of land facing the union passenger depot on the south upon which the company will construct its new works. The Emerson Company located in Alexandria about seven years ago. From a humble beginning it has expanded until it now enjoys a national reputation, as its pumps are sent to all parts of the country.

### DEATH OF MR. MURPHY.

Martin Murphy, father of Martin Murphy, yardmaster for the Southern Railway in this city, died at his home at Springfield, Fairfax county, yesterday morning. Mr. Murphy was a native of Ireland and was 87 years of age. His wife and several children survive.

### THE "SENATE."

The Young Men's Senate met last night at the Young People's building when the recently elected officers were installed. Rev. C. D. Bulla made an appropriate and interesting address on the occasion.

### PERSONAL.

Miss Janet S. Rowen and Miss Sallie Pickett left this morning for a visit to friends in Edinburg and Harrisonburg.

The engagement is announced of Miss Nellie Lee Waller, of "Clifton," near Widewater, and Mr. William Leeds Wight, of Richmond. The wedding will take place at Clifton Chapel early in November.

Mrs. W. H. F. Lee, of Ravenswood, who is visiting Mrs. Benjamin Nash on west Franklin street, Richmond, was a guest at the Woman's Club Monday afternoon.

Miss Francis Hardin left yesterday for Alexandria, on a visit to her brothers, R. T. and L. O. Hardin. Miss Eva Carter has returned from a ten days' visit to her aunt, Mrs. K. L. Lambeth, of Alexandria.—[Charlottesville Progress.

Gov. Swanson has designated Judge J. B. T. Thornton, of Manassas, to sit for Judge Goolrick in a case in the Corporation Court at Fredericksburg on Saturday, October 10th, Judge Goolrick being so situated that he cannot preside in the case.

Mrs. Samuel Ticer, with her daughter and granddaughter, have returned from a visit to Northumberland county.

Mr. Jonathan Matthews left today for Texas where he will visit his brother.

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### LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Fanchon Club will give a dance at McBurney's Hall tonight and a large attendance is expected.

The regular meeting of the Friendship Fire Association will be held tonight.

The wharf at the foot of Fayette alley, between King and Cameron streets, is being repaired. The work is being done by the city.

The regular board meeting of the Children's Home will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Children's Home on Duke street.

Mrs. Lucy Stribling has sold to Mrs. Elizabeth Ramer a house and lot on the south side of Queen street, between Payne and West.

Conductor Ferd Faulkner slipped and fell while on a passenger train of the Washington and Ohio R. R. yesterday and broke one of his legs.

T. F. Burroughs, Son & Co. have received from the lower river a consignment of new "ear corn." It is said to be excellent quality for this season of the year.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Karl M. Hickman and Elizabeth T. tus, both of Leesburg, and to Charles B. Silman and Sallie B. Eastham, both of Front Royal.

The Southern Railway will, beginning on the 18th inst., adopt the same schedule on the W. & O. branch of that road as obtained on February 17th. The recent withdrawal of trains on that branch has caused much dissatisfaction to the public living along the line.

As stated yesterday the president has approved the recommendation made by Secretary Wright that Capt. Frank A. Cook, of the subsistence department of the army, be reduced four files in his grade instead of being dismissed from the army, as sentenced by the court-martial which tried him. Capt. Cook was charged with conduct prejudicial to good order and military discipline while on an electric car between Washington and Alexandria last August.

J. M. Pettit, jr., has at his store, 725 King street, 38 baskets of the finest White Heath Peaches seen here this season. They are the last he will have and as the demand for them is very good he would advise all who have

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GIRLS WANTED to work in bottling department of the BOARD, ARMSTRONG & CO. VINEGAR MANUFACTORY, Alexandria. 1t

NOTICE.—Members of OCEOLA TRIBE, NO. 1, I. O. R. M., are requested to be present at their wigwam on THURSDAY EVE., the 8th, to witness the organization and conferring of degrees on the new Tribe of Red Men of Alexandria. By order of the Sachem. CHAS. NAGEL,
oct7 2t Chief of Records.

LOST.

LOST.—On Sunday, either on Cameron street, between Fayette and Henry, or on Fayette street, between King and Cameron, a CHAIN and LOCKET with initials "A. M. P." The finder will please return it to No 113 north Fayette street and receive reward. oct6 3t*

LOST.—On Sunday, between the Potomac yards and Queen street, a lady's GOLD WATCH; crystal missing. Reward if returned to Mrs. GEORGE WELLS, 427 Queen street.

LOST.—On the 10.30 electric train from this city to Washington, a group of PHOTOGRAPHS in a folio. A suitable reward will be paid for their return to this office. oct5 3t*

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| 10 00 | 314 Queen | 7r |
| 10.00 | 325 S. Patrick | 6r |
| 9.00 | 327 S. Patrick | 6r |
| 9.00 | 128 N. Payne | 5r |
| 9.00 | 132 N. Payne | 5r |
| 8.00 | 413 Wilkes | 7r |
| 7.00 | 623 S. Patrick | 5r |
| 7.00 | 629 S. Patrick | 5r |
| 6.50 | 811 Madison | 5r |

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| $23.00 | 211 N. Fairfax | 5r |
| 7.50 | 206 King | 5r |

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| $20.00 | 212 King | 2r |

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| $20.00 | Washington Avenue | 10r |
| 20.00 | City Road | 10r |
| 16.00 | Braddock Heights | 7r |
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| Cash | 62,037 73 |
| Due from Banks and Reserve Agents | 110,171 93 |
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| | $1,220,396.49 |

## Liabilities.

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|---|---|
| Capital | $100,000.00 |
| Surplus and Net Profits | 183,005 22 |
| Circulation | 100,000 00 |
| Deposits | 780,974 32 |
| U. S. Deposits | 51,655 32 |
| Other Liabilities | 4,761 63 |
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# Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCT. 7, 1908.


### Magic and Poison Rings.

The ring began when man thrust his finger through a hole in a pretty shell and later learned to make rings of jet. The ring is very magical. Lord Ruthven, who helped to kill Riccio, gave Queen Mary a ring which was sovran against poison, and she generously replied with the present of her father's wonderful jeweled dagger, of French work, no longer in existence. Whether Ruthven tooled with this magnificent weapon in the affair of Riccio or used a cheaper article is uncertain. At all events, Mary based on the ring that was an antidote to poison a charge of sorcery against Ruthven. The judges of Jeanne d'Arc regarded with much suspicion her little ring of base metal, a gift from her parents, inscribed with the sacred names Jesus Marie.

It was usual to touch the relics of saints with rings. Jeanne d'Arc said that her ring had touched the body of St. Catherine, whether she meant of the actual saint or a relic of the saint, brought from Sinia to Fierbois. The ring might contain a relic or later a miniature. I fear that I do not believe in the virtues or vices of poison rings. Our ancestors practically knew no poison but arsenic, and Carthaginian science can scarcely have enabled Hannibal to poison himself with a drug contained under the stone of a ring.—Andrew Lang.

### Our Debt to Champlain.

We of the eastern United States, and, above all, the dwellers in New England, owe to Champlain more than most of us imagine. Northern New York and New England were fields of his exploration, and it was he who charted the coasts of the north Atlantic nearly to Connecticut, making surveys that have not been greatly altered to this day. Three hundred years ago, at the point of Quebec, then covered with nut trees, Samuel de Champlain set his men to work to cut down these trees, saw boards, dig cellars and make ditches to construct a habitation. Before the coming of Champlain Canada had yielded to the French vast quantities of furs and skins and had enriched many a trader, but it remained for this great explorer to see in Canada something more than a mere ground for the trapper and trader—a home for people, a veritable new France. In the accounts of his voyages he described with enthusiasm the land, its people, its animals, its timber, its plants and its minerals, and on these products he based prophecies of a great future for this land.—Forest and Stream.

### Imagination.

"Just slap down a sketch of a drunken husband sitting in a wretched hovel of a home," requested the newspaper editor, hurrying into the apartment of the lazy staff cartoonist.

The artist carelessly complied and sprawled back in his chair.

"Don't you think it would fill out better if you were to sketch in a table and an empty whisky bottle?" inquired the editor, gazing at the bare figure.

"Oh, the readers will imagine the booze part of it, all right!"

"Well, how about adding a broken hearted wife and a couple of ragged children?"

"Unnecessary. The readers will readily imagine all that as part and parcel of such a scene."

"Then," ejaculated the editor, tearing the sketch to bits, "then the readers can imagine the drunken man."—Washington Post.

### A Fine Dodger.

Carol's grandfather had served in the war, and Carol liked to hear of the many battles in which he had fought. One day after listening to the vivid recital of many heroic deeds Carol said:

"Grandfather, you went through all those battles?"

"Yes."

"And the shot and shell fell all around you?"

"Yes."

"And soldiers were falling and dying everywhere?"

"Yes."

"Well, grandfather, what a fine dodger you must have been!"—Delineator.

### Sharpening a Pocketknife.

Cutlers have certain rules for sharpening razors, pocketknives, etc. "A razor," said one of the craft, "must be laid flat on the hone, because it is hollow ground and requires a fine edge. But a pocketknife requires a stiff edge, and the moment you lay it flat on a stone, so as to touch the polished side, you injure the edge. It must be held at an angle of twenty to twenty-five degrees and have an edge similar to a chisel."

### Quite Likely.

"I didn't see you at our euchre the other night," said the bachelor.

"No," replied the young Benedict, "as far as euchre goes with me now, I consider 'home' the right bower."

"That's all right while hearts are trump, but I suppose if clubs should turn up it would be the left bower."—Philadelphia Press.

### Dangerous.

First Actor—I thought your next tour was to have been through South Africa. Second Actor—It was, but the company struck. One of them had read that an ostrich egg often weighs two or three pounds.

### Corrected.

"I wish I had never learned to play cards," exclaimed a man who had been unfortunate at the game.

"You mean you wish you had learned, don't you?" was his wife's rejoinder.

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VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 18th day of September, 1908.

Dora Bordner vs. John S. Bordner } In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bond of matrimony with and to the said defendant.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that diligence has been used on behalf of the complainant to ascertain in what county or corporation the defendant, John S Bordner, is, without effect, and his whereabouts is unknown: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Oliver & Brumback, P. Q. sep19 w4w-s

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 14th day of September, 1908.

Florence R. Glover vs. Charles Glover, } In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce on the grounds of desertion by the complainant, Florence B. Glover, from the defendant, Charles Glover.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Charles Glover, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order; and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Samuel G Brent, P. Q. sep14 w4w-s

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 16th day of September, 1908.

Lula B. Ford vs. Robert Ford, } In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain from complainant a divorce from the bonds of matrimony from defendant; to secure for complainant the custody of the infant child of complainant and defendant, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Robert Ford, is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Lewis H. Machen, P. Q. sep14 w4ww

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 18th day of September, 1908.

Dora Bordner, complainant, vs. John S. Bordner, Samuel Groh, William E. Gilbert, W. Gywnn Gardner, E. N. Hopewell, A. T. Smith, trustees, and John C. Brooke, defendants.

Memo. The object of this suit is to sell house and lot on west side of Alfred street, between King and Cameron streets, in the city of Alexandria, Va., and satisfy a judgment lien of the complainants.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that diligence has been used on behalf of the complainant to ascertain in what county or corporation the defendant, John S. Bordner, is, without effect and his whereabouts is unknown and that the defendants, William E. Gilbert, W. Gywnn Gardner, E. N. Hopewell, A. T. Smith and John C. Brooke, are non-residents of this State: It is Ordered That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the court house of this city. A copy—Teste:

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Oliver & Brumback, p. q. sep18 w4w-f


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sep21 2w J. W. FROST, Secretary.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the CRYSTAL PLATE ICE COMPANY will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on TUESDAY, October 13, 1908, at 3 o'clock p. m. JOHN L. WEAVER,

oct2 1d Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY, Incorporated, will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, state of Virginia, on the THIRD DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1908, at 12 o'clock m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come properly before said meeting. GEORGE C. HENNING,

oct6 2w Secretary.

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HARRIET L. ASHBY, Administratrix,
oct2 10t 611 Cameron street.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as administrator of JOHN W. COOPER, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same properly certified for payment, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement.

ROBINSON MONCURE,
Administrator of John W. Cooper, deceased, 121 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va.
oct2 10t

Alexandria, Va., September 28, 1908.

NOTICE OF THE DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The copartnership heretofore existing between John W. Riley and Frank C. Spinks, jr., under the firm name of Riley and Spinks, at the southeast corner of Prince and Royal streets, Alexandria, Va., has by mutual consent this day been dissolved. All debts due the said firm will be paid to and all debts owing by the said firm will be paid by F. C. Spinks, jr.

JOHN W. RILEY,
F. C. SPINKS, JR.
oct3 10t

Alexandria, Va., September 28, 1908.

HAVING purchased the interest of John W. Riley in the business heretofore conducted under the firm name of Riley and Spinks, at the southeast corner of Prince and Royal streets, Alexandria, Va., I will in the future conduct the same under the name of F. C. Spinks, jr., and ask my friends and patrons for a continuance of their patronage.

F. C. SPINKS, JR.
oct3 10t

Alexandria, Va., October 3, 1908.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have this day disposed of the good will and license of my barroom business at No. 114 north Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, to John W. Riley, who will in the near future, after considerable improvement, reopen the said business. All persons indebted to me will please make prompt settlement and all persons having claims against me will please present same for immediate settlement. CHARLES H. CUTTS.

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Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 3 20 p. m. and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

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sept25 10t

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8:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. Stops only for passengers for points south at which scheduled to stop. Firs class coaches, sleepers to Birmingham and drawing-room sleepers to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 P. M. Daily—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York, Augusta and Jacksonville. Through first-class coache between Washington and Jacksonville. Buffet service. Tourist to California tri-weekly.

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5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping cars to Roanoke Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

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Leave Ferry Wharf 8 16, 8 41, 9 10, 9 50, 10 25, 11 00, 11 35 a. m.; 12 30, 1 05, 1 35, 2 05, 2 45, 3 30, 4 05, 4 35, 5 05, 5 35, 6 30, 7 05, 7 45, 8 25, 9 00, 9 40 p. m.

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Leave Spring Park 8 05, 8 30, 8 55, 9 35, 10 10, 10 45, 11 20 a. m; 12 15, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50 2 30, 3 15, 3 50, 4 30, 4 50, 5 30, 6 05, 6 50, 7 25, 8 10, 8 45, 9 25, 10 00 p. m.

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